

REMARKS:

Claim Rejections under 35 USC 112

Claims 9 and 11 are rejected under 35 U.S.C., second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particular point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. In response to the rejection, Applicant has cancelled claims 9 and 11.

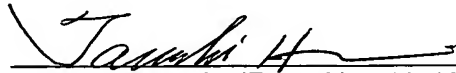
Claim Rejections under 35 USC 102

Claims 1-11 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(a) as being anticipated by Yakura et al. (JP2003-328262). Yakura et al. was published on November 19, 2003. The present application claims priority back to Chinese Application No. 200310102579.4, filed on October 24, 2003, which is about one month before the publication date of Yakura et al. To perfect the priority and overcome Yakura et al., Applicant herewith submits a certified translation of the Chinese application.

Respectfully submitted,

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